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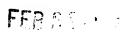
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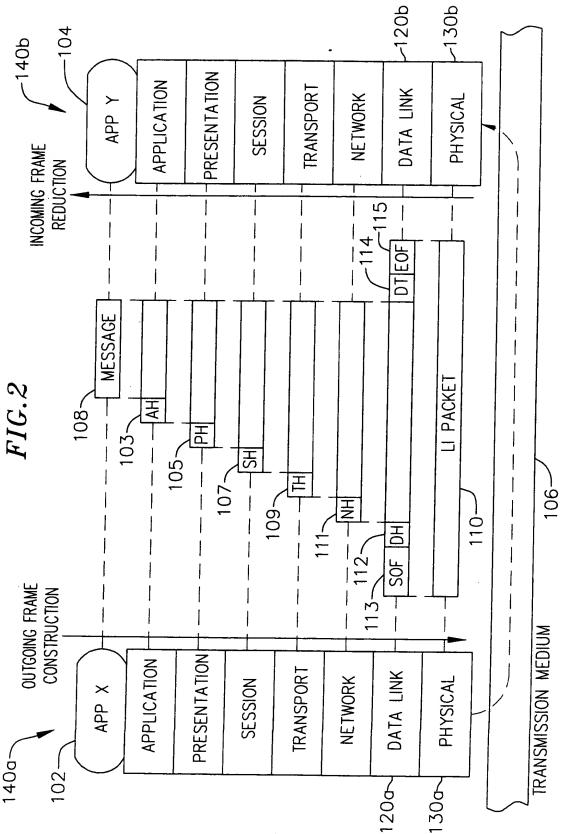
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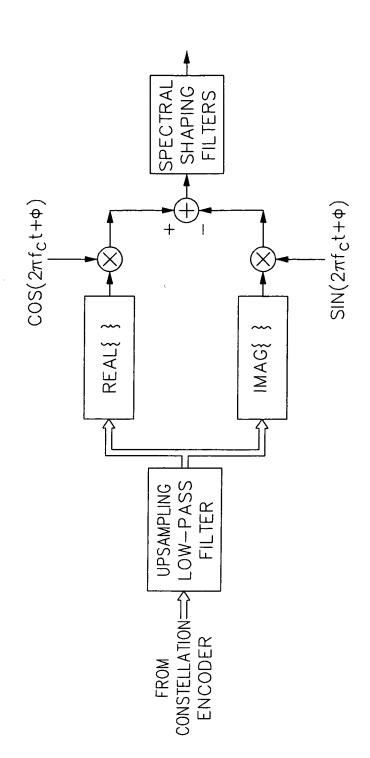


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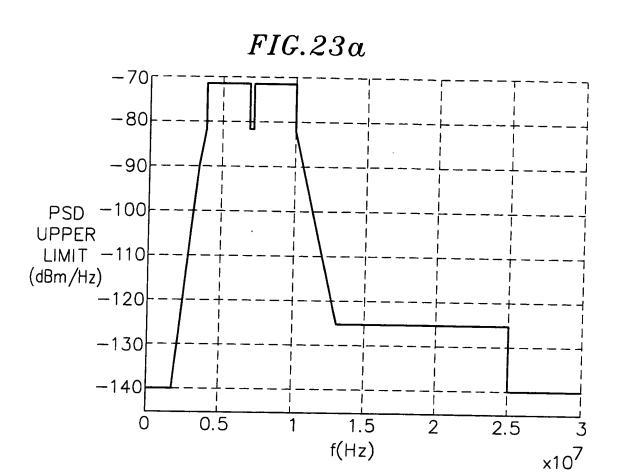


FIG.23b

FREQUENCY(MHz)	PSD LIMIT(dBm/Hz)
0.015 <f<=1.7< td=""><td>-140</td></f<=1.7<>	-140
1.7 <f<=3.5< td=""><td>-140+(f-1.7)*50.0/1.8</td></f<=3.5<>	-140+(f-1.7)*50.0/1.8
3.5 <f<=4.0< td=""><td>-90+(f-3.5)*17.0</td></f<=4.0<>	-90+(f-3.5)*17.0
4.0 <f<7.0< td=""><td>-71.5</td></f<7.0<>	-71.5
7.0<=f<=7.3	-81.5
7.3 <f<10.0< td=""><td>-71.5</td></f<10.0<>	-71.5
10.0<=f<13.0	-81.5-(f-10.0)*43.5/3.0
13.0<=f<25.0	-125
25.0<=f<30.0	-140

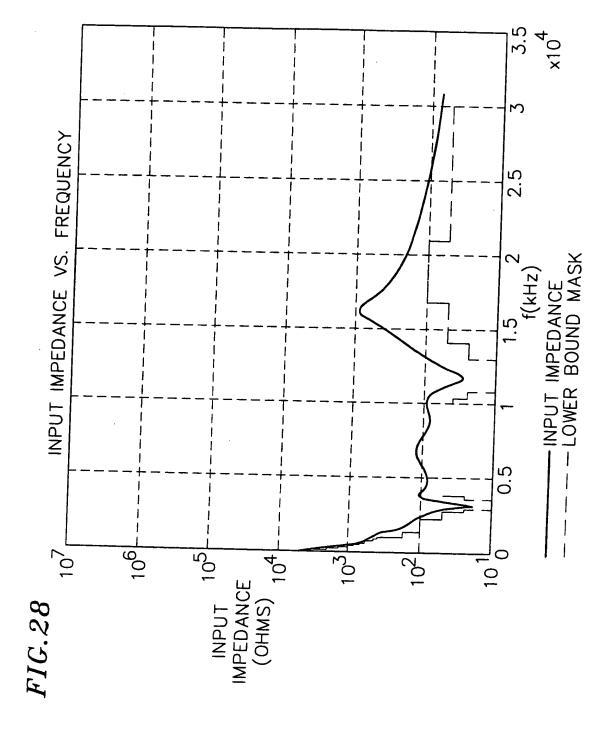


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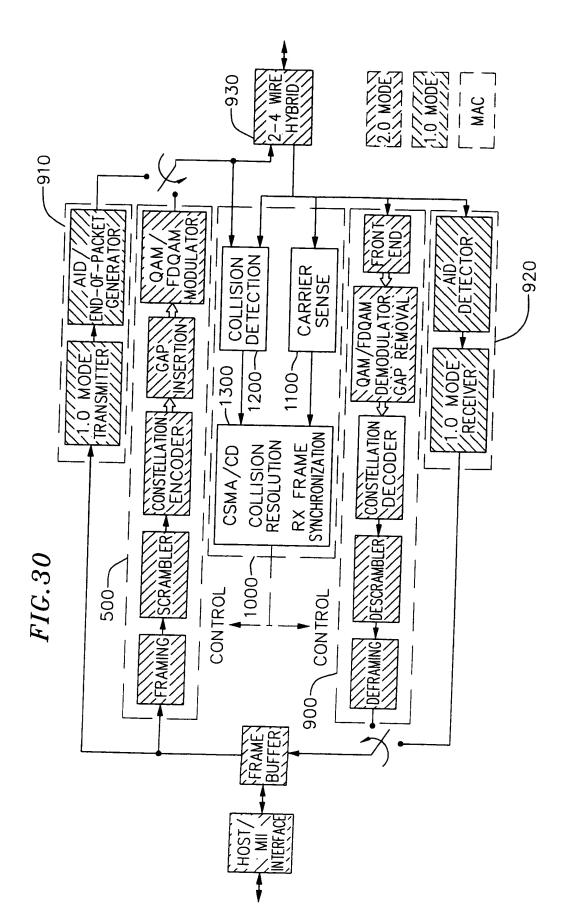
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FREQUENCY	MAXIMUM PEAK-TO-				
RANGE(MHz)	PEAK INTERFERER				
	LEVEL(VOLTS)				
0.01-0.1	6.0				
0.1-0.6	3.3				
0.6-1.7	1.0				
1.7-4.0	0.1				
7.0-7.3	0.1				
10.0-10.15	0.1				
14.0-14.35	0.28				
18.068-18.168	0.5				
21.0-21.45	0.5				
24.89-24.99	0.5				
28.0-29.7	0.5				

FREQUENCY	MAXIMUM PEAK-TO-
RANGE(MHz)	PEAK INTERFERER
	LEVEL(VOLTS)
0.01-0.1	20.0
0.1-0.6	20.0
0.6-1.7	10.0
1.7-4.0	2.5
7.0-7.3	2.5
10.0-10.15	2.5
14.0-14.35	5.0
18.068-18.168	5.0
21.0-21.45	5.0
24.89-24.99	5.0
28.0-29.7	5.0



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EXPLANATION	55/	SOURCE ADDRESS//////////////////////////////////	0-RESERVED	1-RATE REQUEST CONTROL FRAME 2-LINK INTEGRITY SHORT FRAMF	3-CAPABILITIES ANNOUNCEMENT	5-VENDOR-SPECIFIC SHORT FORMAT TYPE 6-126 RESERVED	127 RESERVED VALUES 128-255 CORRESPOND TO THE LONG SUBTION	NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL OCTETS IN THE CONTROL OCT.	THE SSVERSION FIELD (OR THE FIRST OCTET FOLLOWING SSLENGTH IF IT IS	NOT DEFINED AS SSVERSION) AND ENDING WITH THE SECOND (LAST) OCTET	OF THE NEXT ETHERTYPE FIELD. MIN IS 2 AND MAX IS 255	VERSION NUMBER OF THE CONTROL INFORMATION	ETHERTYPE/LENGTH OF NEXT I AYER PROTOCOL O IS MONE	PADDING REQUIRED TO MEET MINIMUM IF DATA<41 OCTETS	KFRAME CHECK SEQUENCE///////////////////////////////////
LENGTH	6 OCTETS	72 OCTETS	1 OCTET					1 OCTET				0-252 OCTFT		-0 octéts	24 OCIETS///////
FIELD	O A S	ETHERTYPE	SSTYPE					SSLENGTH				DATA	NEXT ETHERTYPE	FCC	V



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BAND	A DAM OAD SHOODING (DS) and Show and Show and Show and Should be shown as the shoot of the shoot
SPECIFICATION	A PAYLOAD ENCODING (PE) AND RANK ASSOCIATED WITH A GIVEN BAND. A BAND IS A SINGLE COMBINATION OF BAUD RATE, MODULATION TYPE (E.G. QAM OR FDQAM) AND CARRIER FREQUENCY. TWO BANDS ARE DEFINED IN HPNAV2
LOGICAL CHANNEL, CHANNEL	A FLOW OF FRAMES FROM A SENDER TO ONE OR MORE RECEIVERS ON A SINGLE NETWORK SEGMENT, CONSISTING OF ALL THE FRAMES WITH A SINGLE COMBINATION OF DA AND SA.
RECEIVER	A STATION THAT RECEIVES FRAMES SENT ON A PARTICULAR CHANNEL. IF THE DESTINATION IS A UNICAST ADDRESS THERE IS AT MOST ONE RECEIVER. IF THE DESTINATION IS A GROUP ADDRESS (INCLUDING BROADCAST), THERE MAY BE MANY RECEIVERS.
RECEIVER PE	THE PREFERRED PE TO BE USED ON THIS CHANNEL, AS DETERMINED BY THE RECEIVER.
RRCF	RATE REQUEST CONTROL FRAME. SENT FROM THE RECEIVER TO THE SENDER TO EFFECT A CHANGE IN PE.
REFADDRO	THE SA IN THE ETHERNET HEADER OF THE RRCF FRAME. THIS IS THE DA OF THE RECEIVER (FOR THE CHANNEL), AND IS ALWAYS USED BY THE CHANNEL SENDER AS THE FIRST REFADDR PROCESSED.
REFADDR1 REFADDR <n></n>	OTHER ADDRESSES INCLUDING BROADCAST AND MULTICAST ADDRESSES FOR WHICH THE RECEIVER IS INDICATING RATE INFORMATION TO THE SENDER. THE CHANNEL RECEIVER'S STATION ADDRESS (REFADDRO) SHOULD NOT BE PUT IN THE LIST OF ADDITIONAL REFADDR'S.
	NOTE 1: AT LEAST ONE REFADDR FIELD IS NECESSARY TO SUPPORT RATE NEGOTIATION FOR BROADCAST AND MULTICAST ADDRESSES SINCE THESE CANNOT BE USED AS THE SOURCE ADDRESS IN THE ETHERNET HEADER.
SENDER	THE SENDING STATION FOR A CHANNEL, USUALLY THE STATION OWNING THE SOURCE MAC ADDRESS.
SENDER PE	THE PREFERRED PE ASSOCIATED WITH A CHANNEL, AS NOTED BY THE SENDER.



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FIELD	LENGTH	MEANING
DA	6 OCTETS	MEANING
SA		
	6 OCTETS	THE THE PARTY OF T
	2 OCTETS	
SSTYPE	1 OCTET	=3
SSLENGTH	1 OCTET	NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL OCTETS IN THE CONTROL HEADER, STARTING WITH THE SSVERSION FIELD AND ENDING WITH THE SECOND(LAST) OCTET OF THE NEXT ETHERYPE FIELD. MINIMUM IS 32 FOR SSVERSION O.
SSVERSION	1 OCTET	=0
CSA_ID_SPACE	1 OCTET	IDENTIFIES THE REGISTRATION SPACE OF CSA_MFR_ID 0-UNSPECIFIED 1-JEDEC 2-PCI
CSA_MFR_ID	2 OCTETS	HW MANUFACTURER ID-IDENTIFIES THE MANUFACTURER OF THE PHY CONTROLLER CHIP. THE PURPOSE OF THIS FIELD PLUS THE PART NUMBER AND REVISION IS TO IDENTIFY SPECIFIC IMPLEMENTATIONS OF THE PHY SPECIFICATION. THIS IS NOT A BOARD OR ASSEMBLY-LEVEL IDENTIFIER.
CSA_PART_NO	2 OCTETS	HW MANUFACTURER PART NUMBER-THE PART NUMBER OF THE PHY CONTROLLER CHIP.
CSA_REV	1 OCTET	HW REVISION
CSA_OPCODE	1 OCTET	0-ANNOUNCE 1-REQUEST
CSA_MTU	2 OCTETS	MAXIMUM SIZE LINK-LEVEL PDU THIS RECEIVER ACCEPTS IN OCTETS, THE DEFAULT VALUE IS 1526 OCTETS. THIS IS ALSO THE MINIMUM VALUE THAT SHALL BE ACCEPTED BY ALL ILINE10 STATIONS.
CSA_SA	6 OCTETS	SOURCE ADDRESS OF THE STATION THAT GENERATED THIS CSA FRAME
CSA_PAD	2 OCTETS	RESERVED FOR VERSION O. SHALL BE SENT AS O, IGNORED ON RECEPTION.
CSA_ CURRENTTXSET	4 OCTETS	CONFIGURATION FLAGS, PLUS ALL CURRENT IN-USE STATUS FOR THIS STATION.
CSA_ OLDESTTXSET	4 OCTETS	A COPY OF THE "OLDEST" TX FLAGS FOR THIS STATIONS, FROM THE PERIOD ENDING AT LEAST ONE PERIOD (MINUTE) EARLIER.
CSA_ CURRENTRXSET	4 OCTETS	THE UNION OF RECENT FLAGS RECEIVED FROM OTHER STATION.
NEXT ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	=0
PAD		PAD TO REACH MINFRAMESIZE IF NECESSARY
FCS	4 OCTETS	



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$FIG.52\alpha$

FIELD	LENGTH	MEANING
DA	6 OCTETS	DESTINATION ADDRESS
SA	6 OCTETS	SOURCE ADDRESS
ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	0x886c (LINK CONTROL FRAME)
SSTYPE	1 OCTET	=4
SSLENGTH	1 OCTET	NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL OCTETS IN THE CONTROL HEADER, STARTING WITH THE SSVERSION FIELD AND ENDING WITH THE SECOND(LAST) OCTET OF THE NEXT ETHERYPE FIELD. SSLENGTH IS 6 FOR SSVERSION O.
SSVERSION	1 OCTET	=0
LARQ_HDR DATA	3 OCTETS	LARQ CONTROL HEADER DATA WITH LARQ_CTL BIT=1,LARQ_NACK=0.
NEXT ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	=0
PAD	38 OCTETS	
FCS	4 OCTETS	FRAME CHECK SEQUENCE

FIG.52b

FIELD	LENGTH	MEANING
DA	6 OCTETS	DESTINATION ADDRESS
SA	6 OCTETS	SOURCE ADDRESS
ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	0x886c (LINK CONTROL FRAME)
SSTYPE	1 OCTET	=4
SSLENGTH	1 OCTET	NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL OCTETS IN THE CONTROL HEADER, STARTING WITH THE SSVERSION FIELD AND ENDING WITH THE SECOND(LAST) OCTET OF THE NEXT ETHERYPE FIELD. SSLENGTH IS 12 FOR NACK FRAMES WITH SSVERSION O.
SSVERSION	1 OCTET	=0
LARQ_HDR DATA	3 OCTETS	LARQ CONTROL HEADER DATA WITH LARQ_CTL BIT=1,LARQ_NACK=17.
NACK_DA	6 OCTETS	ORIGINAL DESTINATION ADDRESS
NEXT ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	=0
PAD	32 OCTETS	
FCS	4 OCTETS	FRAME CHECK SEQUENCE

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FIG.52c

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FIELD	LENGTH	MEANING
DA	6 OCTETS	DESTINATION ADDRESS (FROM ORIGINAL ETHERNET PDU)
SA	6 OCTETS	SOURCE ADDRESS (FROM ORIGINAL ETHERNET PDU)
ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	0x886c (LINK CONTROL FRAME)
SSTYPE	1 OCTET	=4
SSLENGTH	1 OCTET	NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL OCTETS IN THE CONTROL HEADER, STARTING WITH THE SSVERSION FIELD AND ENDING WITH THE SECOND(LAST) OCTET OF THE NEXT ETHERYPE FIELD. SSLENGTH IS 6 FOR SSVERSION 0.=6
SSVERSION	1 OCTET	=0
LARQ_HDR DATA	3 OCTETS	LARQ ENCAPSULATION HEADER DATA (WITH LARQ_CTL BIT=0)
NEXT ETHERTYPE	2 OCTETS	FROM ORIGINAL ETHERNET PDU
PAYLOAD	MIN 46 OCTETS	FROM ORIGINAL ETHERNET PDU PAYLOAD
FCS	4 OCTETS	FRAME CHECK SEQUENCE

FIG.52d

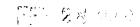
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OCTET	FIELD	LENGTH	MEANING
FLAGS0	LARQ_MUL1	1 BIT	MULTIPLE RETRANSMISSION FLAG. O IN THE ORIGINAL TRANSMISSION OF A DATA FRAME. FOR RETRANSMITTED FRAMES (LARQ_RTX=1), SET TO THE VALUE OF LARQ_MULT IN THE NACK FRAME THAT CAUSED THE RETRANSMISSION. THIS FLAG CAN BE USED BY RECEIVERS TO MEASURE THE ROUND—TRIP TIMES ASSOCIATED WITH THE MISS/NACK/RECEIVE—RTX PROCESS.
	LARQ_RTX	1 BIT	O FOR FIRST TRANSMISSION OF A FRAME, 1 IF FRAME IS RETRANSMITTED. STATIONS NOT IMPLEMENTING LARQ SHALL DROP ANY DATA FRAME IF THIS BIT IS 1.
	LARQ_NORTX	1 BIT	O IF IMPLEMENTATION SUPPORTS RETRANSMISSION, 1 IF ONLY PRIORITY IS MEANINGFUL. MAY BE USED ON A PER CHANNEL BASIS.
	LARQ_NEWSEQ	1 BIT	1 IF THE SEQUENCE NUMBER SPACE FOR THE CHANNEL HAS BEEN RESET, AND OLDER SEQUENCE NUMBERS SHOULD NOT BE NACKED, O OTHERWISE.
	LARQ_CTL	1 BIT	"O" WHEN IN ENCAPSULATION FORMAT
	PRIORITY	3 BITS	LINK LAYER PRIORITY OF THIS FRAME
FLAGS1_SEQ0	RESERVED	4 BITS	RESERVED, SHALL BE O
	LARQ_SEQ_HIGH	4 BITS	HIGH 4 BITS OF SEQUENCE NUMBER
SEQ1	LARQ_SEQ_LOW	8 BITS	LOW 8 BITS OF SEQUENCE NUMBER



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FIG.52f.1

CONTROL FORMS	
CONTROL FRAME	A FRAME GENERATED BY A LARQ PROTOCOL MODULE THAT CONTAINS ONLY A LARQ PROTOCOL HEADER AS ITS PAYLOAD.
CURRENT SEQUENCE NUMBER	THE MOST RECENTLY RECEIVED NEW SEQUENCE NUMBER FOR A CHANNEL.
DATA FRAME	ANY STANDARD ETHERNET FRAME FROM HIGHER (THAN LARQ) PROTOCOL LAYERS. A LARQ-ENABLED STATION ENCAPSULATES THE ORIGINAL PAYLOAD OF AN ETHERNET FRAME BY INSERTING A LARQ HEADER (SHORT FORM CONTROL HEADER WITH LARQ_HDR DATA) BETWEEN THE SOURCE ADDRESS AND THE REMAINDER OF THE FRAME BEFORE THE FRAME IS PASSED DOWN TO THE DRIVER FOR TRANSMISSION ON THE NETWORK.
FORGET TIMER	AN IMPLEMENTATION DEPENDENT MECHANISM TO ALLOW A RECEIVER TO RESET THE SEQUENCE NUMBER SPACE OF A CHANNEL WHEN A RECEIVED SEQUENCE NUMBER IS NOT THE NEXT EXPECTED (CURRENT SEQUENCE NUMBER+1). ONE SECOND IS A SUGGESTED DEFAULT VALUE.
HOLD TIMER, LOST TIMER	AN IMPLEMENTATION DEPENDENT TIMING MECHANISM THAT LIMITS THE TIME A RECEIVER WILL HOLD ONTO A RECEIVED FRAME WHILE WAITING FOR A MISSING FRAME TO BE RETRANSMITTED. CONCEPTUALLY, THERE IS ONE SUCH TIMER PER MISSING SEQUENCE NUMBER. THE TIMER INTERVAL IS MAXIMUM HOLD INTERVAL.
LOGICAL CHANNEL, CHANNEL	SEGMENT CONSISTING OF ALL THE FRAMES WITH A SINGLE COMBINATION OF DESTINATION ADDRESS, SOURCE ADDRESS, AND LINK LAYER PRIORITY.
NACK, Nack, nack	AN INDICATION FROM A RECEIVER TO A SENDER REQUESTING RETRANSMISSION OF ONE OR MORE FRAMES. ALSO, THE ACTION OF PROVIDING SUCH AN INDICATION. E.G. "TO NACK A SEQUENCE NUMBER" MEANING TO SEND A NACK INDICATION.
NACK TIMER	AN IMPLEMENTATION DEPENDENT TIMING MECHANISM USED BY A RECEIVER TO RETRANSMIT NACKS FOR MISSING SEQUENCE NUMBERS. CONCEPTUALLY, THERE IS ONE SUCH TIMER PER MISSING SEQUENCE NUMBER PER LOGICAL CHANNEL. THE TIMER IS RESET EACH TIME A NACK IS SENT FOR A SEQUENCE NUMBER. THE TIMER INTERVAL IS NACK RETRANSMISSION INTERVAL.
NEW	A NEW SEQUENCE NUMBER IS ONE WHOSE DIFFERENCE FROM THE CURRENT SEQUENCE NUMBER FOR THE CHANNEL, MODULO THE SIZE OF THE SEQUENCE NUMBER SPACE AND CONSIDERED AS A SIGNED INTEGER, IS GREATER THAN 0. IN PARTICULAR, THE NUMBERS (CURRENT+1) THROUGH (CURRENT+2047).
	AN OLD SEQUENCE NUMBER IS ONE WHOSE DIFFERENCE FROM THE CURRENT SEQUENCE NUMBER FOR THE CHANNEL, MODULO THE SIZE OF THE SEQUENCE NUMBER SPACE AND CONSIDERED AS A SIGNED INTEGER, IS LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 0. IN PARTICULAR, THE NUMBERS (CURRENT-2048) THROUGH (CURRENT) ARE OLD. NOTE, HOWEVER, THAT MOST OF THE OLD SEQUENCE NUMBERS ARE ALSO OUT-OF-SEQUENCE.





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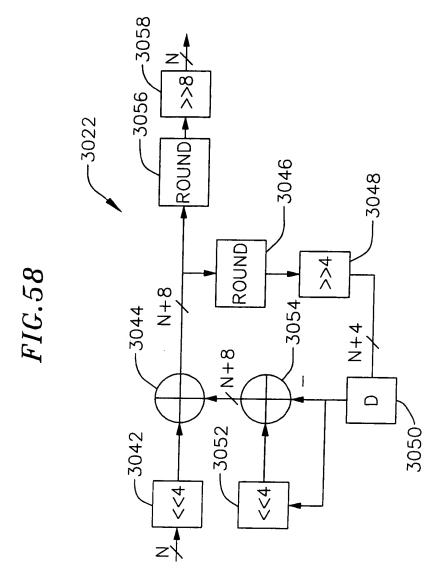
FIG.53

SEND SEQUENCE NUMBER	THE SEQUENCE NUMBER OF THE MOST RECENTLY TRANSMITTED DATA FRAME.
REMINDER TIMER INTERVAL	A FIXED INTERVAL. THE DEFAULT IS 50 MS. LOWER VALUES WILL INCREASE THE OVERHEAD OF REMINDERS ON NETWORK LOAD, WHILE HIGHER VALUES INCREASE THE LATENCY FOR END-OF-SEQUENCE FRAMES REQUIRING RETRANSMISSION. IMPLEMENTATIONS SHOULD NOT USE VALUES OUTSIDE OF THE RANGE 25-75 MS, BASED ON 150 MS MAXIMUM SAVE AND HOLD TIMES.
MINIMUM RETRANSMISSION INTERVAL	AN INTERVAL USED TO PREVENT TOO-FREQUENT RETRANSMISSIONS OF A SINGLE FRAME. MOST IMPORTANT FOR MULTICAST CHANNELS. THE DEFAULT IS 10 MS.
MAXIMUM SAVE LIMIT	THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF FRAMES THAT WILL BE SAVED FOR A SINGLE LOGICAL CHANNEL. THIS IS IMPLEMENTATION DEPENDENT, AND VARIES WITH THE MAXIMUM FRAME RATE THE SENDER IS EXPECTED TO SUPPORT. VALUES OF 100 OR MORE CAN BE USEFUL FOR HIGH-SPEED APPLICATIONS SUCH AS VIDEO.
MAXIMUM SAVE INTERVAL	THE MAXIMUM TIME THAT THE SENDER WILL NORMALLY SAVE A FRAME FOR POSSIBLE RETRANSMISSION. THE DEFAULT IS 150 MS.

CURRENT SEQUENCE NUMBER	THE MOST RECENT SEQUENCE NUMBER RECEIVED IN A LARQ HEADER FOR THE CHANNEL, WHETHER IN A DATA FRAME OR A REMINDER CONTROL FRAME.
OLDEST MISSING SEQUENCE NUMBER	THE OLDEST SEQUENCE NUMBER FOR A FRAME NOT YET RECEIVED WHICH HAS NOT BEEN DECLARED LOST.
MAXIMUM HOLD INTERVAL	THE LONGEST INTERVAL THAT A FRAME WILL BE HELD AWAITING AN EARLIER MISSING FRAME. THE DEFAULT IS TO USE THE SAME VALUE AS MAXIMUM SAVE INTERVAL, WHICH HAS A DEFAULT OF 150 MS.
MAXIMUM RECEIVE LIMIT	THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF FRAMES THAT A RECEIVER WILL BUFFER WHILE AWAITING AN EARLIER MISSING FRAME. THE DEFAULT SHOULD NORMALLY BE THE SAME AS THE MAXIMUM SAVE LIMIT.
INTERVAL	THE INTERVAL AFTER WHICH A RECEIVER WILL RETRANSMIT A NACK CONTROL FRAME FOR A MISSING SEQUENCE NUMBER, WITH THE EXPECTATION THAT EARLIER NACK CONTROL FRAMES OR DATA FRAME RETRANSMISSIONS WERE LOST. THE DEFAULT FOR FIXED IMPLEMENTATIONS IS 20 MS.



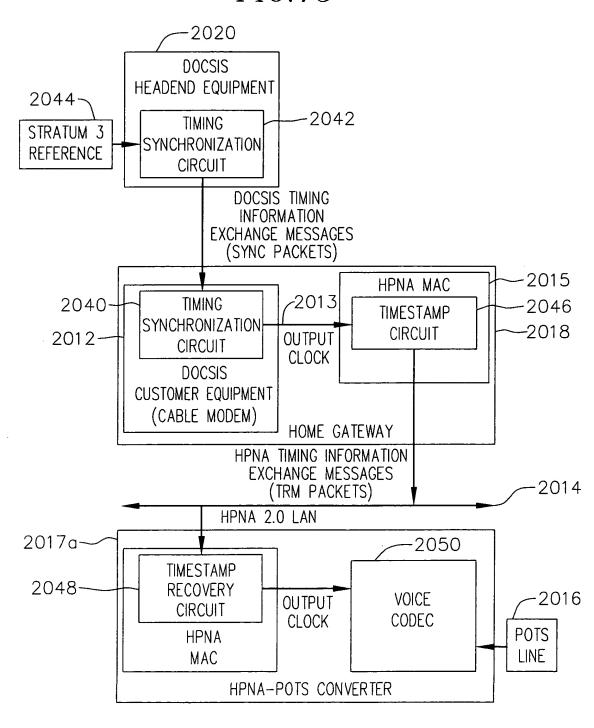
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FIG. 73





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FIG. 74

		JPSTREA	М	DOWNSTREAM			
	"10E-6	91%	90%	"10E-6	91%	90%	
PARAMETER	CASE	CASE	CASE	CASE	CASE	CASE	
ACCESS DELAY	3.1	1.3	1.3	3.1	1.3	1.3	
COLLISION RESOLUTION	2.7	2.7	0.8	2.7	2.7	0.8	
3 UP, 1 DOWN	2.1	1.0	1.0	2.1	1.0	1.0	
LAST UP	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	
COLLISION RESOLUTION	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	
3 UP, 1 DOWN	2.1	1.0	1.0	2.1	1.0	1.0	
LAST UP	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	
3 DOWN				1.5	0.8	0.8	
3 DOWN				1.5	0.8	0.8	
TOTAL LATENCY	11.8	7.4	5.5	14.9	8.9	7.1	

10E-6 CASE IS 10E-6 CRA ONCE OF TWO TRIES IN HOMES WITH MAXIMUM 4MBITS/SEC RAW RATE

91% CASE IS 10E-6 CRA ONCE OF TWO TRIES IN HOMES WITH MINIMUM 10MBITS/SEC RAW RATE

90% CASE IS 10E-1 CRA TWICE IN TWO TRIES IN HOMES WITH MINIMUM 10MBITS/SEC RAW RATE

VALUES IN THE TABLE ABOVE ARE IN MILLISECONDS.

OVERH	HEADS:					5	-	•
					PCM	NODES	NODES	NODES
IFG	PER	FRAME	LARQ	RTP_H	FRAME	CRA	CRA	CRA
	COLL	HDR	HDR	DR	SIZE	10E-6	10E-1	FIXED
0.018	0.206	0.07	8	40	160	13	4	2
MSEC	MSEC	MSEC	BYTES	BYTES	BYTES	COLLISIONS	COLLISIONS	COLLISIONS

FRAME HEADER INCLUDES PREAMBLE, FC, DA, SA, T/L, EOF



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FIG. 75

	l	JPSTREA	М	DO	WNSTREA	ΔM
PARAMETER	"10E-6 CASE	91% CASE	90% CASE	"10E-6 CASE	91% CASE	90% CASE
ACCESS DELAY COLLISION RESOLUTION 3 UP, 1 DOWN LAST UP COLLISION RESOLUTION 3 UP, 1 DOWN LAST UP 3 DOWN 3 DOWN	3.1 0.4 1.4 0.5 0.0 0.0	1.3 0.4 0.8 0.3 0.0 0.0	1.3 0.4 0.8 0.3 0.0 0.0	3.1 0.4 1.4 0.5 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.1	1.3 0.4 0.8 0.3 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.6 0.0	1.3 0.4 0.8 0.3 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.6 0.0
TOTAL LATENCY	5.5	2.7	2.7	6.5	3.3	3.3

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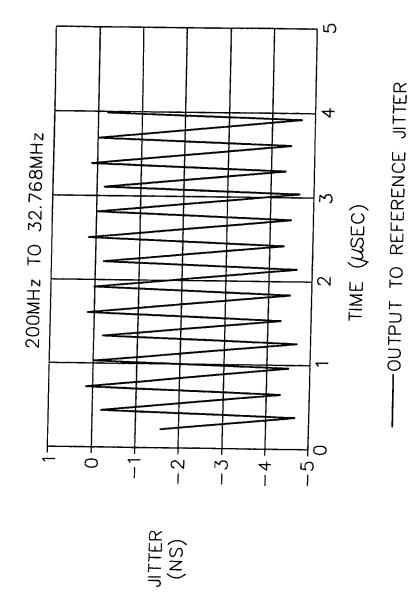
Fig.77(1)

Field	<u>Lengt</u> <u>h</u>	Meaning
DA	6 octet s	Destination Address
SA	6 octet s	Source Address
Ethertype	2 octet s	(TBD) = VOHN Link Control Frame - new IEEE assignment
Туре	2 octet s	2 = Timestamp Report Message
Length	2 octet s	Number of additional octets in the signaling frame, starting with Version field and ending with the last octet of the Data Payload field. Minimum is 2.
Version	2 octet s	= 0
TSMSeqNum	2 octet s	Sequence number of TSM to which the Timestamp in this message is applicable.
Timestamp	4 octet s	Timestamp of a previously transmitted Timestamp Report Message, corresponding to TSMSeqNum.
Frequency	2 octet s	Resolution of the timestamp and Gtimestamp fields, in ticks/1.000ms. For example, value 32768 corresponds to one clock tick at 32.768Mhz, in which the LSBit of the Timestamp corresponds to a time of 0.030517578125usec. The Timestamp will rollover every 131 seconds = 2.2 minutes
NumGrants	2 octet s	Number of Grant Timestamps specified in the payload of this control message. NumGrants may be zero. Each grant timestamp is accompanied by a Line ID and Call ID field. Including the Grant Timestamp, the total for each grant timestamp is 8 bytes.



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FIG. 81





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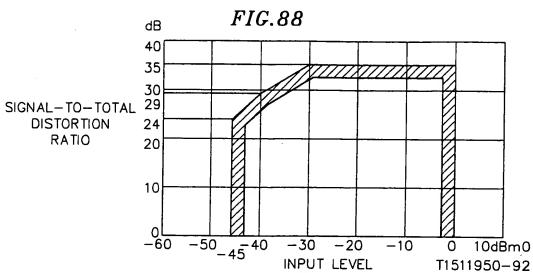


FIG.89a

INPUT LEVEL	UNIFORM QUANTIZER +COMPANDER SNR		THE F	REQUIRED	SNR	FOR	THE	ADC/DAC
0dBm	38.43dB	60dB						
-30dBm	35.50dB	54dB						
-40dBm	30.09dB	44dB						

FIG.89b

INPUT LEVEL	G.712 SNR SPEC	THE TOTAL SNR WITH UNIFORM QUANTIZER+COMPANDER+JITTER CLOCK
0dBm	35dB	38.32dB (60dB ADC/DAC SNR IS USED)
-30dBm	35dB	35.42dB (54dB ADC/DAC SNR IS USED)
-40dBm	29dB	30.05dB (44dB ADC/DAC SNR IS USED)

FIG.89c

INPUT LEVEL	G.712 SNR SPEC	THE TOTAL SNR WITH UNIFORM QUANTIZER+COMPANDER+JITTER CLOCK
0dBm	35dB	38.38dB (60dB ADC/DAC SNR IS USED)
-30dBm	35dB	35.26dB (54dB ADC/DAC SNR IS USED)
-40dBm	29dB	30.03dB (44dB ADC/DAC SNR IS USED)

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